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last amendment for the lights. We are now debating the advancement of LB 1108, and I raise the call. Senator Wehrbein, you are recognized to close on the advancement of LB 1108.

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: I have nothing more to add. We've had good debate. I move advancement of the bill, please.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Senator Bruning.

SENATOR BRUNING: Mr. Speaker, I move LB 1108 to E & R for engrossing.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: You've heard the motion. All in favor of advancing LB 1108 to E & R engrossing say aye. Those opposed say nay. It is advanced. We next move to General File 1998 committee priority bills, LB 1175. Before we move, there are items for the record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, thank you. Senator Will has an amendment to LB 1028 to be printed and bills read on Final Reading have been presented to the Governor this morning, Mr. President (re LB 234, LB 611, LB 988, LB 1180). (See page 1218 of the Legislative Journal.)

Mr. President, LB 1175 was a bill originally introduced by Senator...by the Education Committee, excuse me, and signed by its members. (Read title.) The bill was introduced January 14 of this year, referred to the Education Committee. I do have committee amendments pending, Mr. President.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Senator Bohlke, you're recognized to open on the bill.

SENATOR BOHLKE: Yes, Mr. Speaker and members, this is a large bill. I think it's...from what I know it's going to take some time. It's going to take some patience on your part. A great deal of it is very technical, very dry, and very boring. Some of it is not and so let me open on the bill itself and then as we get to the amendments we can actually discuss each of the amendments. The major changes are that convictions that are set aside may be used to deny teacher and administrator certificates. Filing requirements for weather and epidemic